TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



HB 1312 - SB 1862

February 28, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Eliminates requirement that the court determine, before releasing a defendant on bail, that a defendant is not a danger to the community if the defendant has a prior conviction for vehicular assault, vehicular homicide, or driving under the influence.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

• Eliminating the danger to the community determination for these offenses will not significantly increase the number of defendants released on bail and will not significantly reduce the number of defendants housed in jail pending trial.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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